Scarcity of Silver Coin

The September number of Hunt's Merchants Magazine contains a paper on this subject, by SAMUEL D. INGHAM, (Secretary of the Treasury under Jackson,) the gist of which is contained in the following extract:

"There is no reason to hope, as long as we have balances to pay abroad, and gold shall continue to be supplied as heretofore, that it will be possible, under the present mint regulations, to maintain a silver currency sufficient lations, to maintain a silver currency sufficient for the public necessity, much less for the public convenience. And yet it is more than probable that a few years may so exhaust the California workings as to depreciate gold, at least to the mint value. The question, therefore, what can be safely done? forcibly addresses itself to all those who have power over the sub-

"To change the relative values of metals used as standard measures of property, is a very grave and serious work. It is nothing less, in character, than to change the weight and length of the weights and measures which are the standards of quantity in all the internal commercial transactions of a nation, and at the same time compelling the execution of previous contracts according to the new measures, without permitting any allowance for the surplus or deficiency; nothing but an extreme necessity can justify the slightest modification of the standards of value, and whenever attempted, it should be directed by the most careful and skilful hand. Such a measure will not, therefore, be proposed in this paper, and more especially it is believed that a remedy drainage of the silver coins may be devised, without any general change of the relative values of gold and silver at the mint, and without affecting contracts or deranging the stand-

out arecting contracts or deranging the standards in the slightest degree.

"In view of this measure, it should be observed that silver coins, which are made by law a tender for the payment of debts, have two distinct values, derived from, and depending upon, the uses to which they are applied. If they are wanted for remittances, bills of exchange are abundantly more convenient; if wanted for large payments at home, gold and banknotes are quite as good, if not preferable. But when small payments are to be made, in the every day business of every body, we have no possible substitute, except dollar bank-notes, and that vile trash, individual paper tokens, which will inevitably find their way into the channels of currency whenever silver is drawn out. It would be difficult to determine how much pre-mium retail dealers would be willing to give for small silver coins, rather than be obliged to do without them, or to use as a substitute the paper tokens; but it is evident that such a prewould only be given for coins to be plied to these small payments, while gold could be had at a cheaper rate for larger payments. The two distinct values above mentioned are therefore self-evident; and, keeping in view this fact, it is only necessary to make a coin adapted to the uses for which it is so much more valuable, and for which, only, it is required; for it is the same thing to the commuher the proper relative value of a coin stained by the quantity of metal in it, or by its peculiar adaptation to the uses for which it is wanted. Such a coin should, however, be nfined by law to that class of payments wherein its peculiar value would be fully ap-preciated and sustained, and from which it reciated and sustained, and from bould not be withdrawn, to be used for payments requiring a higher metallic value. purpose may be accomplished by a mint regu-lation to provide a new coinage of all the sub-divisions of the dollar, to be as much lighter than those now coined as would protect these new coins from exportation or the melting crucible, which must be made by law a legal tender only in payments not exceeding say five or ten dollars. Such a regulation would confine these new coins to their appropriate sphere, without disturbing the general arrangement of the mon-etary system, and without the slightest effect on contracts. While silver commands a premium the silver dollar will, of course, be exported, but their loss will not be sensibly felt. The gold dollar will take their place as far as it can be crowded into the channels of circulation among the dolwill even more easily take the place of the silver dollar at a premium of three per cent."

When we buy more goods from Europe than we sell to her, our money must go, and her kind they will take. They do not want our of this decision. paper, of course. The value of gold is regulated mewhat by the quantity of that article in a country as compared to the quantity of silver. Gold is greatly on the increase, and silver therefore increases in comparative value, and must go. But as gold is not conveniently divisible into fractions of a dollar, the recomadopted, and quarters, dimes, and half-dimes will be alloyed with a heavier hand, and will thus be retained in this country, and our gold will be carried off, after all our fine silver shall be gone. One good result of this will be the own decimal money.

But would it not be well to cease importing fifteen hundred, is apt to grow poor. A nation sent us weighs a pound and a quarter. is only a large family.

informed by the Boston Daily Advertiser, that to our merchants. If they advertise well, their the suit against the trustees who controlled the sales will be correspondingly brisk! "Commonwealth" newspaper, brought by Mr. Sheckles, of Georgetown, has resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff, with \$400 damages. The gist of the libel was the statement or insinuation that Mr. Sheckles had received money to buy the freedom of one Ringgold, and then induced him to come to Washington, with the view of recommitting him to slavery. It was in proof and admitted that the statement was a mistaken one. The court ruled that the newspaper "ought to know that it was right before it told such stories; and if it was wrong, it should pay for the damages it caused." also think the court or jury ought to know the value of a man's good name before attempting to fix a price upon it. A kidnapper, in this re gion at least, is regarded with more odium than \$400 would pay one for becoming.

GRAND EXCURSION.—The steamer Columbia will depart from Georgetown and this city tomorrow morning, for Indian Head and intermediate points, under the auspices of Howard Division Sons of Temperance. There will be music, confectionery, and all other desirable

We learn upon reliable authority that Ron-ERT B. STILLE, esq., Surveyor of the Port of New Orleans, appointed by General Zachary Taylor, has been garoted—removed from of-fice—and Col. WILLIAM CHRISTY has been appointed in his stead. Mr. Stille was the chairman of the Whig executive committee of the State of Louisiana during the last Presidential canvass, and he was the ardent and efficient friend of "Taylor and Fillmore."

Col. Christy was a gallant officer of the army during the war of 1812-'15, between the United States and Great Britain. He is a man of courage, an esteemed, whole-souled gentle-

man, and a thorough Whig. We drop a tear to the official memory of Robert B. Stille.

PREDESTINATION. - A correspondent asks Fowler, the Phrenologist, some knotty questions, and he replies: "The 'hair you can't intense split' has troubled metaphysical speculators for centuries; namely, to harmonize the creative and overruling government of God with the free agency of man. You ask how the creature can be blamed for acting out the character which the Creator has given him. Read the parable of the talents in the New Testament. Each received according to his several ability, and the responsibility of each was according to his ability to use and occupy, and no greater. Men have different capacities and talents, and are responsible only for the right use of what they have; and one can fulfil the requirements of just and merciful Creator just as easily as another, inasmuch as he holds them accountabl no farther than their ability to obey extends."

THE RITTENHOUSE ACADEMY, at the corner of Indiana avenue and Third street, is enlarged and improved. Another story has been added, upon which is a handsome belfry, containing a well-toned bell of one hundred and fifty pounds weight. The main room of the edifice is on the second floor, and is thirty-four by twenty-two and a half feet, with a ceiling eleven feet high. There are besides this a room of nearly the same size on the first floor, two recitationrooms, a library, and one or more rooms in the basement. The establishment is now quite commodious, and presents both within and without a neat and agreeable appearance. The furniture is well adapted to school purposes. The chair and desk for each pupil is made of cherry, and supported by most admirable cast-iron pedestals. They are so constructed as to admit of perfect freedom of position, and enjoyment of comfort. They are from the manufactory of Wales, in Boston.

The teachers are Otis C. Wight, Principal: A. Given Carothers, Assistant; J. Randolph Wilson, Teacher of Greek and Latin; Mons. D. E. Groux, Professor of Modern Languages; and Prof. J. Gibson, Teacher of Drawing.

Last year this school opened with forty-eight pupils, and had received fifty-six by the end of the first week; this year it opened with seventy. and the first week closed with eighty-one! The capacity of the school admits of but one hundred. Were we to name its patrons we might thereby win the confidence of many; but we prefer to look to the pupils for the evidences of successful teaching. Of these we can freely say, that in their scholastic progress, in their moral and polite deportment, and in the pride with which they regard the institution to which they are attached, we readily discern its excellence, and the faithfulness and ability of its in-

THE DAY CASE .- The Criminal Court met this morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Morgan presented the affidavit of Wm Speiden, fully corroborating the testimony of Richard Brooks in relation to the declarations of Mr. Adams, a juror, as to the guilt of the prissing the testimony of a platform, (about fifteen feet high,) on which was a chair of execution. He evinced not the slightest trembling or fear—his step was proud oner, prior to the trial. This affidavit was re- and firm, and his voice clear and distinct. A ceived by the Court and ordered to be filed.

Judge Crawford then proceeded to read an elaborate opinion, occupying an hour and a quarter or an hour and a half, and concluded by granting a new trial, to be held at the December term.

There was a fair company of persons in attendance, and suppressed feelings of gratificamerchants will choose for themselves of what tion were very apparent on the announcement

MILITARY VISITS .- We learn that on Friday next, the 12th of September, (anniversary of the battle of North Point,) the National Greys, of this city, Capt. Bacon, will visit Fredericksburg, Va.; as will also Tuscarora Tribe, No. 5, Improved Order of Red Men. They will all leave this city on Thursday morning. On the same mendation of Mr. Ingham will probably be day, the Law Greys, of Baltimore, will visit this city, and be entertained by the Light Infantry, Capt. TATE.

ANGLING .- We return our thanks for a beautiful bunch of perch, presented to us by Mr. eternal banishment of Spanish fips, levies, and Gruard, of Florids, and Captain Howard, of quarters, and the exclusive circulation of our the Howard House, who on Saturday last caught near the "White House," below Mount Vernon, 247 perch, 67 catfish, 2 rock, (one weighmore goods than we export? A family with an ing four pounds,) and 37 cels. This feat was annual income of a thousand, and an outlay of performed in five hours. One of the perch

Our Railroad Depot presents a busy appear THE SHECKLES' SUIT FOR LIBEL.—We are ance to-day. Goods in abundance are forwarded

> Three more Excursions from Georgetown to the Great Falls of the Potomac. Let none miss the delightful jaunt.

> THE PAMPERO. - A letter from Jacksonville, (Fla.) August 31, shown to us this morning,

> says: "The steamboat Pampero is here, waiting to take the Cubans off. She is- to leave to-day. There is quite a fuss among them in preparing

> We are gratified to learn that our fellowcitizen, Captain JOHN Y. BRYANT, arrived at New York by the last steamer from Chagres, and is expected in this city to-morrow evening.

J. D. WESTCOTT, formerly U. S. Senator from Florida, denies that he had any thing to do with the Greer and Donaldson correspondence in the New York Herald.

The Washington Telegraph says that a man in that city is purchasing land warrants, and designs locating them in the Island of Cuba! [Lockport Courier.

What a ---! We said we heard a man inquiring for them.

[From the Baltimore Sun of this morning.] Arrival of Steamer Empire City from

The mail steamship Empire City arrived at New York at 21 o'clock on Saturday, from New Orleans and Havana.

Havana has been the scene of jubilee and recicing for the last three days, owing to the capture of Gen. Lopez and his forces.

The news reached Havana on the 30th ult. and as a demonstration of the effect it produced, flags were hoisted, guns fired, &c. night the principal buildings were illuminated, torch-light processions formed, &c. Lopez was taken in the interior, wandering alone, and nearly exhausted from fatigue and hunger.

He asked for something to eat at a farm-house, and permission to lay down—while asleep he was bound and made prisoner. Of his followers, over one hundred are now imprisoned in Havana, and are to be sent to

Spain for ten years' confinement in a dungeon.
They say their sufferings before taken were intense—for several days they lived upon the leaves of trees, &c.,—the last meat they ate was the horse of General Lopez. They had no arms when taken. The remainder have either been shot or they have perished from hunger.

Captain Platt, of the Albany, visited th prison, and gained some interesting accounts, which he will despatch to the States. The steamers Habanero, Almendare, and Isabella Catholica, were on Sunday despatched to Bahia Honda and Mariel to bring up the troops

preparatory to the execution of Lopez. The loss of the Spanish troops is 2,000—in every engagement they were defeated. General Enna was killed at the head of an advancing column. He was second to Concha.

Lopez was garoted on the morning of Septem-

ber 1st, at seven o'clock. The execution was witnessed by eight thousand troops, and as many citizens.

He ascended the platform, and made a short speech; his last words were, "I die for my be-loved Cuba." He then took his seat, the machine was adjusted, and in two minutes he was dead. The prisoners say in no instance have the Creoles of this land manifested the least disposition to join them. The French steamer Asmodeus sailed from Havana on the 1st. The Falcon, from Chagres, arrived on the 31st with

390 passengers.

The Empire has had a very boisterous passengers. sage home, having had strong head winds. She ings a large Havana mail.

She left at Havana the sloop-of-war Albany on the 2d passed a steamer to the eastward supposed to be the Saranac; on the 3d passed the ship Glance, steering northeast-fore-top gallant mast carried away.

FURTHER PARTICULARS. We have the following additional particulars

and details of the Cuban news: The next day (Sunday) after the announce ment of Lopez's capture, which is generally a holiday there, was doubly so now; in honor, as they said, of the victory of the Spanish troops. Guns were fired from morning to night. Shouts and vivas for Concha and the Queen were continually offered. Lopez was shot in effigy in different parts of the town. He was dressed in the full uniform of a general, and under his left arm was a game cock, and in his right hand a pack of cards. The rabble amused them-selves by shooting at the effigy all day. It was reported on Sunday that the Pizarro had gone down for Lopez, but it was afterwards ascer-tained that he had been in the city all day, but was kept perfectly quiet in order to prevent confusion. Late in the afternoon the Habanero, Almendares, Pizarro, and Isabella Catholica all Almendares, Pizarro, and Isabella Calnolica all arrived loaded with troops, being the remainder of those engaged in the several engagements with Lopez. They were marched to the Plaza de Hernas, where they were inspected by Concha, after which they retired to their rendez-

vous, completely exhausted and tired out.

At half-past six o'clock on the 1st of September, the troops were assembled at the place of execution, which was at the "Ponto," at the entrance of the harbor, directly opposite the Moro. There were on the ground at the time 5,000 troops, 3,000 infantry, and 1,000 cavalry, and about 8,000 citizens. A few minutes before seven, Lopez was brought forward and ascende few hisses and groans were heard from the crowd after the execution-save that, every-

thing was orderly and quiet. Lopez when taken was wandering about the the manner of his arrest. Some say he was captured by dogs. Another report, that he went to a farm-house and asked for something to eat and permission to lay down, which was granted him; he fell asleep, during which time the owner of the place obtained the assistance of four men who bound Lopez hand and foot, then despatched a person to the nearest ren dezvous of troops, where he was made secure. There are no fears of an invasion. The an-nihilation of Lopez and his forces has restored, in a measure, peace and quiet in the city, and the excitement is fast subsiding. The following is the military order announc-

ing the arrest of General Lopez:

MILITARY DEPARTMENT. The Lieutenant-Governor of San Cristoval under date of yesterday, at 5 p. m., communi-cates to the Captain-general the following: Most excellent Senor: At this moment, which

6 p. m., the traitor Lopez has entered into this town, having been apprehended by Don Antonio Santos Castaneda, which notice I lay before your excellency in great haste. And by order of his excellency, this is an-

nounced in the Gazette extra for the information and satisfaction of the public.

HAVANA, Aug. 30. PEDRO ESTEBAN. The following are the names of the prisoners

thus far taken : Elias Otis, New York; Bernard Allen, Havana; Thomas Little, Philadelphia; John B. Brann, New Orleans; Julio Chassange, Havana; Francisco Curbia y Garcia, Havana; Jorge Bautista, Hungary; Thomas S. Lee, New Or-leans; Michael L. Keemen, New York; Cornelius Derfii, United States; George Metcalf, Ireland; Pelen Fallos, United States; Jose Dovren-Cuba; Henry Metcalf, Ireland; Captain James Aquelli, New Orleans; First Lieutenant Robt

M. Cricler, Kentucky; Lieutenant Malbon H. Scott, do. Soldiers .- George Wilson, Philadelphia; William H. Cameron, Virginia; Isaac Freeborn, Ohio; Wm. H. Vaugale, Kentucky; William Caussans, England; Thos. McDellans, Ireland; Harvey Williams, New Orleans; John Danton, New York; Franklin Boyd, New Orleans; Thos. Morrow, Mississippi; W. A. Reeves, do.; Car-los A. Donunean, Mobile; Immanuel R. Wier, los A. Donunean, Mobile; Immanuel R. Wier, do.; John Suicit, German; Edward Wise, do.; Wm. Losner, do.; Robert Selutz, do.; Ciriaco Cenepli, do.; Martin Melesems, Havana; Manuel Martinez, do.; Francisco Abjandro Lene,

The following prisoners were taken in the hills of Aguacale, near Bahia Honda. They have been brought to Havana, and are on board

Antonio Luciano Alfonso, Manuel Aragon,
Jose Bojjanotie y Rubina, Joaquin Casanova,
Miguel Guerra, Wm. McKiney, Dandrig Scay,
Leonardo Suillort, J. D. Baker, Luis Bander. The following prisoners were taken at or near San Cristobal, and are now at Havana: Jas. Smith, Joseph Gunn, Don Augustine Mon-

Among the passengers on the Empire City is pt. Ward, late of the bark Rapid. Capt. Ward, late of the bark Rapid. Capt. Ward states that the reported indigni-ties to the bodies of the fifty Americans who

were massacred are entirely true.

Capt. Ward says that when the bodies were buried, many had the limbs taken off.

He himself saw portions of the bodies exhibited at the coffee-houses, over which the Span-

iards gloated as only Spaniards can.

The death of Gen. Enns, Commander-in-Chief of the Spanish army, is confirmed. Our papers contain the military orders in regard to his fu-

The Tochman Case.

A person called at our office this morning and presented for publication a very ample article, in response to the card of Major Tochman on Saturday last. Who this person was we do not know, except that he informed us he was alluded to in that card, and that his name was Henri De Ahna. He read to us his article, which we declined publishing. He departed, and in an hour or so returned with a note, which he wished to have inserted if we should still decline the former. This note is as follows:

WASHINGTON, September 8, 1851. Gentlemen: I again appeal to you to publish my reply to the article in your paper of Saturday last, headed "Warning," and signed "G. Tochman." I am, as you are fully aware, the Bavarian officer referred to in that communication. You have admitted into your paper a gross tion. You have admitted into your paper a gross libel upon me, and when I ask to repel the slander it contains, you reply, you will not consent to open your columns to an attack upon a woman, unless under a guaranty from counsel that you will not be prosecuted, and the payment of \$25. I am ready to pay the money, but I cannot ask any counsel for such guaranty as you require. My object is not to attack a woman. It is to refute a libel by a plain statement of facts. And if a woman is incistatement of facts. And if a woman is incidentally affected by that statement, her husband alone is to blame for it. He has waited more than two months, since I first communicated to him in person all, and more than is contained in the affidavit to which he alludes; and he has seen the affidavit itself. If your journal is free to attack under such circumstances, it ought to be free to repel the attack; and I ask you in justice to allow the reply on the same terms, if you require it, that the attack was admitted.

HENRI DE AHNA. We reply: 1. We are not aware he is the Bavarian officer

referred to. 2. If Major Tochman's defence of his wife is a gross libel on this person, we are quite guilty of publishing it.

3. All the guarantees and all the fees in the world would not induce us to open our columns to an attack on a woman, although the gentleman is "ready to pay the money."

Finally, if this gentleman comes to us intro luced and vouched for by any responsible gentleman known to us, he shall have no reason to complain of the exclusion from our columns of any proper defence he may have to make. The affair, however, being a private one between Major Tochman and him, and our columns being private property, we shall demand a strict compliance with our advertising terms.

The Herald says that the Baltic has been hired by the Cunard line to tow the Asia. In addition to this, we would say that Collins is about taking the berths out of the Pacific, hav ing made up his mind to run her as a "day

MARRIED.

In Georgetown, on Tuesday morning, the 2d instant, by the Rev. Chas. McElfersit, Mr. BENJ. R. MAYFIELD to Miss CHARLOTTE L. BROWN, both of that place.
At New York, on Thursday, at Calvary Church, by the Rev. Francis L. Hawes, Lieut. EDWARD HIGGINS, U., S. Navy, to ANNA MARIA, daughter of John C. Zim-Merman. seq. of that city. ERMAN, esq., of that city.

DIED,

Near Taneytown, Carroll county, Maryland, on Thursday, the 28th ultimo, Mrs. MARGARET GALT, wife of Sterling Galt, esq., in the 53d year of her age.

In Germantown, Penna., on the morning of the 4th instant, Mrs. MARGARET PROVEST, widow of the late Alexander Provest, in the 74th year of her age.

On the 29th of August, ANN ELIZA, daughter of James and Jane Keck, aged 11 years and 9 months.

On the 8th instant, after a long and painful illness, Mrs. ELIZABETH RUFF, in the 6ist-year of her age.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, the 9th instant, at 3-o'clock, from the residence of her son on E, between 5th and 6th streets. The friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

Tribes of Red Men of the District, and others that intend joining in the trip to Frederick City on the 12th of September, are requested to meet at Tuscarora Wigwam on the morning of the 11th, at 7 o'clock. The members of Oscoola Tribe of Alexandria will meet at the depot in

P. G. S. WM. TUCKER, Chairman. PHILIP OTTERBACE, jr., Secretary.

NOTICE.—The members of the NORTHERN LIBER TIES FIRE COMPANY are requested to attend a meeting of the Company at their Engine-house this (Monday) evening, at 7½ o'clock, as business of importance will be laid before them. By order of sep 8—1t

A. F. FORREST.

THE CAMPBELLS ARE COMING THE CAMPBELLS ARE COMING
AT ODD-FELLOWS' HALL, MONDAY EVENING,
September 8th, and EVERY EVENING during
the week. West & Perl's celebrated Operatic Troupethe ORIGINAL CAMPBELL MINSTRELS—have the
honor to announce that they have engaged Odd-Fellows'
Hall, 7th street, where they will give a series of their
INIMITABLE ENTERTAINMENTS, as above.
sep 1—6t DR. F. A. JONES, Agent.

ODD-FELLOWS' HALL!!!

THE CELEBRATED CARNCROSS FAMILY respectfully announce a series of their inimitable Concerts at the above Hall, commencing on Monday evening, September 15th; consisting of Songs, Duette, Trios, Quastettes, Italian Opera Scenas, New and Popular Dances, Comic Singing, Yankee Burlesques, Sayings, &c., &c.,—making altogether a bill of great variety and excellence. Tickots 26 cents. A change of programme nightly. Doors open at 7½, Concert commences at 8 o'clock.

LAST THREE EXCURSIONS

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To the Great Falls of the Potomac.

THE swift-running and splendid Packet Boat DELA-WARE, will leave Vanesson's wharf, foot of Congress street, Georgetown, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, the 9th, 11th and 13th of September, at 91½ o'clock a. m., arriving at the Falls at 12 m. Returning, she will leave the Falls at 3 o'clock p. m., and arrive at Georgetown at 7 o'clock. Fare, the round trip, 50 cents.

On Wednesday and Friday the boat will leave Georgetown at 3½ o'clock for Custis's Spring, returning at 5½ p. m. Fare, the round trip, 20 cents.

Persons wishing to charter the boat for Pic-Nic parties can do so by applying to the Captain on board.

sep 8—6t**

WASHINGTON PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY

WASHINGTON PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY. THE MEMBERS OF THIS SOCIETY are requested to attend at the residence of N. Callan, esq., on F street, between 14th and 15th streets, to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of making arrangements to resume their regular rehearsals.

Ladies and gentlemen are requested to be punctual in their attendance.

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By order.

sep 8—2t*

JOHN S. WILLIAMS,
Recording S. Recording Secretary. CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.

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MOST respectfully announce to their customers and
the public that they are now daily receiving their Fall
supplies in rich fancy goods. They will open this day
(Monday) a large assortment in ladies PIRSS GOODS, including the richest styles, both in colors and designs, that
they have ever had the pleasure of before offering. We
invite an early examination from the ladies; they will
find much richer goods now than at a later period of the
season, and quite as cheap.

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PAWINGS of Machinery, Buildings, &c., executed in the best style. Address LEM. D. WILLIAMS, Draughtsman and Delineator, Washington, poet paid; or apply at the office of J. J. Greenough, opposite United States Patent Office.

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D street, between 9th and 10th streets.

JUST RECEIVED, fresh Butter and Eggs for family use; also fresh Oysters.

L. W. WORTHINGTON.

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Apr The privileges of yearly advertisers will be confined rigidly to their regular business, and all other advertisements, not pertaining to their regular business as agreed for, to be paid extra.

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50 PIECES all-wool Flannels, nearly a yard wide, 25c.
Brown Cottons as low as 3 cents a yard!
Beautiful Fall Calicoes, from 4 cents up.
New Cashmeres and Mousselaines, pretty and cheap.
Ticking as low as 6 cents.
100 pieces bleached Cotton from 5 cents up, very cheap.
Persons buying to sell again will here find an excellent assortment of Hosiery, Gloves, Pins, Tapes, &c., &c., at Baltimore prices. Also, an assortment of Extracts, Colognes, Soap, Brushes, Combs and Fancy articles, about 25 per cent. less than regular prices! A few Fall style Bonnets just received.

T. B. BROWN, sep 6—tr
Pa. av., opposite Brown's Hotel.

STRINGS! JUST RECEIVED, at the Musical Depot, a fine lot of Violin & Guitar Strings, direct from New York. Als a fine assortment of Violoncello and tenor Violin Strings together with Violin and Violoncello Bows, of all quattees, and at all prices, from 25 cents to \$5. Persons wishing to secure a bargain in Musical merchandise, shoul call at once and make a selection, as my stock of instruments is at this time complete.

GEO. HILBUS.

sep 6—tr south side of Pa. av., next to cor.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of Wright & Gray has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm will please to make immediate payment to either of the undersigned.

LEWIS WRIGHT,
September 1, 1851.

THOMAS K. GRAY.

The business will hereafter be conducted by Thomas K. Gray, in his usual style, and he respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage bestowed upon the late firm togother with that of such other customers as may please to give him a call.

COMBS! HAIR BRUSHES! &c. At the Sixth street Fancy Store. JUST RECEIVED-A new supply of the above articles

JUST RECELVED—A new supply of the above articles consisting of Buffalo and Imitation Tuck Combs, new patterns Shell and Imitation Side-Combs, Long Combs Fine Tooth and Dressing Combs
Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, and Infant's Brushes Lubin's Extracts, Colognes, Powder Puffs, Windsor and other Fancy Sosps, &c. &c. At Mrs. COLLISON'S Millinery and Fancy Store, Sixth street, near the corner Louisiana av., rear National & Brown's hotels.

43- Wanted—a young lady as an apprentice. [sep 5

NEW FALL GOODS!

NOW IS THE TIME—JUST OPENED:

30 PIECES rich Black Silk Laces, very cheap
10 do. Black Gro de Rhine Silk
50 do. Mousselaine de Laines, at 12c., very good
25 do. Extra do 25 cents
100 do. Calicoes, from 5 cents up
100 do. Bleached Shirtings and Sheetings
25 do. All-wool White and Colored Flannels
25 do. Bleached and Brown Canton do
25 do. Irish Linens, very low
Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Silk and Satin vestings.
Also, white, grey, black, and fancy-colored Yarn. Customers will do well to give me a call, as I have in store a good assortment of fall goods, and will sell at low prices.

WILLIAM R. RILEY,
sep 5—tr. corner Sth st. opposite Centre market. sep 5-tr. corner 8th st., opposite Centre market.

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The Subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he has returned to Washington, and takes this occasion to express his grateful acknowledgment of their kindness and patronage extended to his son in his absence. He would also inform them that he has on hand, and is constantly receiving a very extensive assortment of Furniture of every description, which he would respectfully invite them to call and examine.

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HATS-FALL STYLE-1851. HATS—FALL STYLE—1851.

CHAS. H. LANE has the honor to inform the citizens of Washington and the public, that he will, on Saturday, 30th instant, introduce the Fall Style of Hats. It is my intention in future to keep constantly on hand a fashionable stock of Hats and Caps, having secured the services of a practical and skilful Hatter, and feel confident in offering to the public as superior an article as the market can afford. A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited.

New Hat, Cap, and Furnishing Store, au 29—co6t]

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A CARD.—Owing to the change which has lately been made in G. W. Yerby's business, the subscribers have put down the prices of a number of styles of goods for the purpose of reducing and running off the stock, preparatory to laying in Fall supplies.

Persons wanting Dry Goods at, and in many cases less than, the original cost, will find it to their advantage to stock and as want room and money. give us a call, as we want room and money.

au 23—d2w YERBY & MILLER.

TAYLOR & MAURY, Booksellers and Stationers, Pennsylvania avenue, near 9th street, have constantly on hand a full assortment of BLANK BOOKS, SCHOOL BOOKS, PENS, INK, and PAPER, of every variety, for sale at New York prices.

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GRAND EXCURSION!

HAVING been solicited by many persons to give an Excursion, a number of the members of HOWARD Division, Sons of Temperance, have formed themselves into a Club for that purpose, and, having made all the necessary preliminaries, now announce to the public that they will give an Excursion on TUESDAY, September 9th.

The commodious and well-known steamboat COLUM-BIA has been chartered for the occasion. Also, the services of the much sdmired Warren's Cotillon Band have been engaged, and every thing will be done to render the excursion a most agreeable one.

The boat will leave Georgetown at 8, City wharf at 9, and Navy Yard at 10 o'clock, a. m., also touching at Alexandria; from thence proceeding down the river, after stopping at Fort Washington, to Indian Head, and return at sunset, landing her passengers at Navy Yard wharf and City wharf.

Tickets \$1, admitting a gentleman and two ladies. Children half price. Tickets can be obtained of the committee, at Mr. G. Savage's, Pennsylvana avenue, Columbus's Confectionery, opposite Odd-Fellows' Hall, of Libby and Thomas, Georgetown, or at the boat on the day of the Excursion. Refreshments at city prices.

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THE SUBSCRIBER has associated with him in the Dry Goods business E. P. MILLER, of Jefferson county, Virginia: the copartnership to take effect from the 18th inst. The business for the future will be con-

ducted under the firm of Yerry & Miller.

G. W. YERBY.

In entering upon the above arrangement, the subscriber deems it proper, and is happy to have it in his power, to offer to his friends and the public generally his sincere thanks for their liberal support and patronage during the time he has been in business, and bespeaks for the new firm a continuation of past favors, assuring all that the arrangement has been made under the most flattering circumstances, as the facilities of the new firm will be the best for doing a larger and more extended business, on the best and most advantageous principles to buyers.

39 Persons having unsettled accounts with me will have the kindness to close them at as early a day as possible, either with the cash or notes at short dates, as they will see the necessity of my winding up the old business.

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IN FAIR WEATHER PREPARE FOR RAIN. DANIEL PIERCE continues to cover and repair UMBRELLAS and PARASOLS as usual at his old stand, Pennsylvania avenue, south side, between 12th and 13th streets, on of the black and white Umbrella. 65 A general assortment of Umbrellas for sale. Silk, dingham, and other materials suitable for every description of repairs, always on hand. 65 Pa. av., south side, between 12th and 13th streets.

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Orders left with Mr. Lewis F. Perry, at Clagett & Dodson's, Pennsylvania avenue, near 9th street, will be attended to with promptness and fidelity.

[au 2—tf. CONNECTICITY HEALTH ASSOCIATION]

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